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## SEVENTH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, and in accordance with the practice under 37 CFR §1.97 and §1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed modified Form PTO-1449. No inference should be made that the cited references are in fact material, are in fact prior art, or that no better art exists. The cited references are not listed in any order based on their pertinence. Copies of the listed information are attached.

This Seventh Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing date of either a Final Office Action under §1.113 or a Notice of Allowance under §1.311, whichever occurs first.

Accompanying this transmittal is the \$180.00 fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(p) for submission of an Information Disclosure Statement under §1.97(c).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required to Deposit Account 08-1394/28150.11.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Respectfully submitted,

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